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Miss Harriet M. Wardle was appointed a Jessup Fund student under the provision for females made by the late Mrs. Bloomfield H. Moore as an addition to the trust endowed by her father.

A committee has been appointed by the President, at the instance of the American Philosophical Society, to represent the Academy at a meeting to be held in commemoration of the late Dr. D. G. Brinton, who held the position of Professor of Ethnology and Archæology in the Academy from February 25, 1884, until his death.

The Anthropological Section, not having held sessions or presented a report during the preceding twelve months, was, under the By-Laws, declared at the meeting of the Academy held December 27, 1898, to be no longer in existence.

EDWARD J. NOLAN,
Recording Secretary.

REPORT OF THE CORRESPONDING SECRETARY.

During the past year, commencing December 1, 1898, there have been received from one hundred and ten societies, museums, libraries, etc., one hundred and eighty-six acknowledgments of the receipt of the publications of the Academy, and from forty-four societies, libraries, etc., fifty-six notices that their publications have been forwarded to the Academy. Fourteen applications for exchange and for supply of deficiencies in sets of the Academy's publications, together with eleven circulars and invitations to the Academy to participate in congresses or meetings, and seven announcements of the deaths of scientific men, have also been received, and when necessary, answered.

The deaths of twelve correspondents have been recorded.

Four hundred and twenty-nine acknowledgments of gifts to the library have been forwarded.

Respectfully submitted,

BENJAMIN SHARP,
Corresponding Secretary.